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sau Street. AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND:-Gordon & Goton, Melbourne and Sydney. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports

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INCORPORATED BY MATIONAL DECREES ON 7TH AND 8TH MARCH, 1848, -a n d-

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HONGKONG AGENCY.

INTEREST ALLOWED N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the monthly minimum balances, and on Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained at the offices.

CHR. DE GUIGNÉ. Manager. Offices in Hongkong: Bank Buildings. Queen's Road,

Hongkong, May 14, 1875. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-

ING CORPORATION. PAID-UP CAPITAL ... 5,000,000 Dollars.

RESERVE FUND, 100,000 Dollars. COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman-E. R. BELILIOS, Esq. Deputy Chairman-AD. ANDRE, Esq. S. W. Pomeboy, Esq. J. F. Cordes, Esq. H. Hoppius, Esq. F. D. SABBOON, Esq. A. Molver, Esq.

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HONGKONG.

Interest Allowed N Ourrent Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily

On Fixed Deposits : -For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum. 4 per cent. 5 per cent. ,, ,,

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Oredits granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India,

Australia, America, China and Japan. JAMES GREIG, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation,

No, 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, February 17, 1876.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. Have this day authorized Mr J. Y. V. SHAW to sign my name per procura-

A. MACG. HEATON. Hongkong, January 1, 1876.

NOTICE. TAR. THEOPHILUS GEE BINSTEAD is WI authorized to sign our Firm in

Mongkong and Canton. PURDON & Co. China, June 1, 1876. NOTIOE.

THE Undersigned has been appointed 20 Words. Arrangements may be made at this Port.

R. H. CAIRNS, 1, Club Chambers. Honghong, April 20, 1876.

Notices of Firms.

Lombard Street. George Street, 30, 77E have Established branches of our Firm at Halphong and Hanol. Mr E. CONSTANTIN is authorised to sign by LANDSTEIN & Co.

> NOTICE. THE Undersigned have entered into Copartnership from the First day of January, 1876, in the Business of Ship- Ch S. brokers at this Port, under the style of MORRIS & RAY.

Hongkong, December 31, 1875.

A. G. MORRIS. E. C. RAY. Bank Buildings, Hongkong, February 3, 1876.

FOR SALE. THE Fine British Steamer "PARDO"

of about 763 Tons Register. Apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, June 20, 1876. Intimations.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY

LIMITED. NOTICE.

TIHE Transfer BOOKS of this Company the 30th Instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, OLYPHANT & Co.,

General Agents. Hongkong, June 18, 1876.

NOTICE.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY LIMITED.

THE CERTIFICATES of the SHARES Numbered 551/575 and 621/630 (inclusive) in this Company, standing in the Register in the name of Mr WILLIAM RUDOLPH LANDSTEIN, having been lost by him: Notice is hereby given that New Certificates for such Shares have This day been issued to the said WILLIAM RUDOLPH LANDSTEIN as such registered Proprietor of the Shares therein mentioned, and that the Original Certificates will hereafter be held by the Company as null and void.

Dated the 14th day of June, A.D., 1876. By Order of the Directors, Secretary.

THE WONDERFUL ARAB DWARF.

D living prodigies, is now being exhibited at the ORIENTAL HOTEL, from 10 A.M.

BINAMHNOOD is an Arab, 25 years of age and 33 inches in height; has no legs or arms, yet walks about, feeds himself, writes his name, &c.; besides his native tongue, he speaks English, French, Dutch, Hindostani, Malay, and several other languages. ADMISSION—FIFTY CENTS. Hongkong, June 19, 1876.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAC STEAM-BOAT COMPANY. LIMITED.

TAOR the convenience of travellers, the Steamer "POWAN" will leave HONGKONG at Noon on SATURDAYS. and MACAO at 7 a.m. on MONDAYS commencing on Saturday Next, the 17th Instant. On other days the Hour of Departure from both places will be 9 a.m. By Order,

P. A. DA COSTA, Secretary.

Hongkong, June 15, 1876. DANISH CONSULATE,

Hongkong, June 17, 1876. TOTICE is hereby given that Mr RUDOLPH JENSEN, having resigned the Office of Consul for this Colony for H. M. the King of Denmark, applications for the Office should be sent in to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Copenhagen, before the First of November, 1876.

H. KI AR, Consul pro tem.

HOLMES' RELOUE LIGHTS.

MAPTAINS, wishing to test the value of the above-named LIGHTS, so favourably mentioned in the Papers this winter, may obtain any number at the price of about £1 a Piece.

Apply at WM. PUSTAU & Co. s Shipping Office. Hongkong, June 16, 1876.

RIENTAL HOTEL The DINNER HOUR at this Establishment will be HALF-PAST SEVEN until further notice.

STOCKHAUSEN AND ROSE, Proprietors.

Hongkong, June 10, 1876. THE GREAT NORTHERN TELE-GRAPH COMPANY.

HEAD OFFICE, Shanghai, 26th May, 1876. for MESSAGES between this and

TAROM and after this Date, the Rate GUTZLAFF is Reduced from \$4 to \$2 for SURVEYOR to LLOYDS REGISTER for reporting by wire any Signals hoisted by Vessels passing.
GEORGE J. HELLAND,

General Agent,

Intimations

THE MEDICAL HALL, 37, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

ESTABLISHED 1853. TH. KOFFER, Proprietor.

Hongkong, April 28, 1876. HONGKONG.

WATCHMAKERS & JEWELLERS, 38, Queen's Road,

NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHRONOMETERS. Carefully Repaired, Cleaned and accurately

rated under guarantee. All Repairs in the above line done at reasonable rates and with despatch. Hongkong, May 1, 1876.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE REDUC-TION OF THE PRICE OF THE SHANGHAI COURIER AND

IT WILL BE THE DAILY PAPER IN CHINA CHEAPEST

OHINA GAZETTE,"

and as a large INCREASE OF CIRCULATION will be OLOSED from the 20th to MAY BE CONFIDENTLY ANTICIPATED, THE

> ADVANTAGE TO ADVERTISERS

KRUPP'S CAST STEEL WORKS Essen (Germany.) Sole Agent for China,

F. PEIL, Hongrong, Shanghai, Cologni (Germany.)

LOONG SHING & Co.. DEALERS IN ANCIENT CHINESE CURIOSITIES

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. No. 34, Wellington Street, HONGKONG.

> AH YON, COMPRADORE AND STEVEDORE, No. 57, Praya West.

SHIPPING BUPPLIED WITH ALL KINDS OF DINAMHNOOD, one of the greatest of COAL, WATER, BALLAST, FRESH PROVISIONS & OILMAN'S STORES

Of the best quality and at the shortest notice Hongkong, May 1, 1876.

> AFONG, PHOTOGRAPHER,

by appointment, to H. E. SIR ARTHUR KENNED! GOVERNOR OF HONGKONG;

H. I. H. THE GRAND DUKE ALEXIS · OF RUSSIA.

Wyndham Street, formerly ATHLETIC CLUB, TAS on hand the Largest and Best collection of Views, &c., of Amoy Formosa and all the different Chinese Ports. Also, A large assortment of Photographic Albums, Frames, Writing Cases, Desks and many other ornamental and useful articles too numerous to mention. Hongkong, May 15, 1876.

NOTICE.

SAILMAKING DEPARTMENT

URING the Temporary Absence of our Mr W. DOLAN, this DEPART. MENT will be CARRIED ON as heretofore, under the Superintendence of Experienced FOREMEN, who have acted in this capacity under Mr Dolan for 18 years All Orders in this Branch of Business will have our careful attention.

MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co Hongkong, June 1,-1876. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

CANTON.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

FIRST BONUS of Five per cent. h upon Contributions for the year 1875. will be payable on the 1st July next. Warrants may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after the 80th Instant. By Order of the Board,

Secretary. Hongkong, June 20, 1876. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

N. J. EDE,

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE OFFICES of the Pacific Mail STEAMSHIP COMPANY have This DAY been REMOVED to the Premises No. 18, PRAYA CENTRAL, lately occupied by Measts Holliday, Wish & Co. G. B. EMORY, Agent. Hongkong, June 5, 1876.

Auctions.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sale

Room, Praya, on

FRIDAY, the 23rd June, 1876, at Noon,— John Gosnell & Co.'s Perfumery, com- the 28th June, 1876, at 2 o'clock p.m., prising: Jockey Club, Assorted Essences, at No. 4, Graham Street,-Toilet Soap, Lavender Water, Toilet logne, etc., etc.

50 cases Blood's Pale Ale.

20 casés Blood's $\times \times \times$ Stout. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1.7.

The Lot or Lote, with all faults and errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, June 20, 1876.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc tions to sell by Public Auction,

MONDAY NEXT, the 26th June, 1876, at Noon,-At the Godowns of Messrs Butterfield

& SWIRE, (For account of the concerned,) 55 chests Persian OPIUM, salved Ex S. S. "Orestes."

All more or less damaged by sea water. TERMS OF SALE,-Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1. All Lots, with all faults and errors description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

W. KERFOOT HUGHES, Austioneer. Hongkong, June 21, 1876. je26

FURNITURE SALE.

HANDSOME ENGLISH AND CANTON MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY. the 26th June, 1876, at 2 o'clock p.m.,

at No. 13, Staunton Street, the Re-

sidence of A. Espantoso, Esq.,-The whole of his Handsome Household FURNITURE, comprising:— English-made Walnut Green Rep Covered Drawing-room Suite, Handsome Mirrors in Gilt Frames, Clocks, Window Curtains, Carpets, Gasaliers, Writing Desks, A nice Collection of Pictures, Handsomely Carved Blackwood Marbletop Tables and Teapoys, Dining Table, Side Board, Chiffonier, Whatnots, Gasaliers Electroplated Ware, Glass and Crockery Ware, Chairs, Bedsteads, Wardrobes Toilet Glasses, Toilet Tables, Couches, Flower Pots and Flowers, Aquarium,

Etc.. A Pony DOG CART. A Pony BASKET CARRIAGE. Catalogues will be issued, and the Furniture will be on view on Saturday,

Japanese Vases, Bronzes,

the 24th June. Terms of Sale.—Cash before deliver in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 All lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, June 19, 1876.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on account of whom it may concern, on

Office, Marine House, Queen's Road,-The Steamer "PAWTUXET," of Boston, Massachusetts, 230 Hb. Tons Registered Burden; with a Battery con-

the 27th June, 1876, at Noon, at his

sisting of 2 Brass 24lb. Howitzers. 2 20lb. Rifled Parrotts, 1 30lb. Rifled Parrotts. Sundry Shot and Shell for above Battery. The above Vessel was purchased of the

United States Government, and is Re-

gistered at Boston, Register No. 177,

dated 16th September, 1867. TERMS OF SALE .- One half of the purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance on completion of transfer, the expenses of which to be paid by the purchaser. All lots, with all faults and errors of description, to be at purchaser's risk on the fall of the

hammer. For further Particulars apply to the United States Consulate at Hongkong; the Trustees of the Estate of Autustine HEAR'S & Co., Queen's Road | or to the Undersigned, where inventories may be

W. KERFOOT HUGHES, d uptionser, Hongkong, June 15, 1876.

Auctions.

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions from the Executors of the late Captain L. Young to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY.

Sundry Household FURNITURE, Vinegar, Cologne Water, Aromatic Co- consisting of: Damask Covered Chairs and Couches, Centre Tables, Engravings, White Shirts, Cotton Socks, Sailor's | Gas Lamps, Side Tables, Sideboard, Knives, Shoe Blacking, Mirrors, Bath Whatnots, Crockery and Glassware, Iron and Brass Bedsteads, Wardrobes, Toilet Glasses, Dressing Tables,

> FULL-SIZED THURSTON'S BILLIARD TABLE, with Balls, and

Catalogues will be issued, and the Furniture will be on view the day previous to the Sale.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1.7. All lots, with all faults and errors of description, at Purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, June 21, 1876.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SAIGON. The Steamship "PE..NAMBUOO," Capt. Hype, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY the 26th instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to AH YON. Hongkong, June 20, 1876.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Company's Steamship will be despatched on or

about the 30th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Agents. Bongkong, June 19, 1876.

Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The A 1 American Bark "AMERICAN LLOYDS,"
Captain Park, will be despatched for the above Port on "AMERICAN LLOYDS," the 24th June. For Freight, apply to

(To follow the "Wealthy Pendleton."

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, June 19, 1876. FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Clipper Ship

Captain HUNTER, will load for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

" COMMISSARY,"

Hongkong, May 19, 1876. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Bark "CHARLES C. LEARY," N. STILPHEN, Master, will load will have quick despatch as above.

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, June 2, 1876. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship " ANNIE FISE." Horses, Master, will load here for the above Port, and

VOGED, HAGEDORN & Co.

will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, May 12, 1876. -

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship "COMET," BRAY, Master, will lead hers for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, May 12, 1876. FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY.

For Freight, apply to

The A 1 British Barque "VINDEX" Capt. PARKHOUSE, with a large QJL portion of her Cargo engaged, No marks will have quick despatch as above. -For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, June 2, 1876.

Shipping.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 British Barque Captain Jones, having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampos,

For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co.

FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Clipper Bark "UNWARD," the greater part of her Cargo

MEYER & Co.

FOR SALE, FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The A 1 British Bark

WIELER & Co.

Actices to Consignees.

Hongkong, June 19, 1876.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. Sarpedon, are hereby notified that June. 1876.

Goods undelivered after the 23rd June, 1876, will be subject to Rent.

 $oldsymbol{Agents.}$ Hongkong, June 14, 1876.

THIS Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed, at their risk, into the Godowns of Mr A. McG. HEATON, whence delivery may be obtained, Consignees wishing to receive their

S. S. TARTAR,

No Claims will be admitted after the Hoods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 23rd Instant will be subject to rent.

Joods on the Wharf are at liberty to

Hongkong, June 16, 1875. je23 S. S. ESMERALDA,

Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk in the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence delivery may be obtained. Goods remaining in store after the 24th

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

instant will be subject to rent.

Hongkong, June 20, 1876. ORIENTAL AND OCCIDENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

from San Francisco and Yokohama, are hereby requested to send their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Hongkong, June 16, 1876. Compagnie des messageries MARITIMES.

B. EMORY,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Acting Agent.

T&L from Marseilles. Ex Ava, May 2, 1876.

Ex Amazons, May 14, 1876. 191 baga Gum and 4 cases Vermillion.

2 ,, Raisina. S. S. Anadyr.

GR No. 1/42 m42 boxes Wines. RUSSELL & Co. HKH 6885/688; & S cases Merchandige,

FURNITURE SALE.

and have quick despatch. Hongkong, June 12, 1876.

T. STIMSON, Master, having engaged, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, June 15, 1876.

"ALPHINGTON," of 327 Tone Register.

ONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer the Cargo is being discharged into craft, and landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned, in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Godown on and after the 16th

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

FROM AMOY & SWATOW. ONSIGNEES of Cargo per above

A. MACG. HEATON YONSIGNEES, of Cargo per S. S. Belgio

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be landed and stored at Con-

signees' risk and expense.

MONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for counters signature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at

Ex *Hoogly*, March 10, 1876. R M. No. 29, One case Merchandice, 100 bags Gum, from Bombay.

4 boxes Merchandize. OEP. 3 bags Gum.

Hongkong, June 9, 1876,

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

200 Casks CLARET from Bordeaux.
Apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, March 10, 1876. TAKASIMA COLLIERY.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents. TIOR SALE, Large Takasima Coal, at \$8 per ton, ex Godown. Small Takasima Coal, \$6 per ton, ex Godown.

T. G. GLOVER, No. 7, Queen's Road, and at East Point. Hongkong, May 16, 1876.

FOR SALE. M. OBILLINGWORTH & SON'S CROWN SHERRIES and PORTS. R. P. ATKINS & Co.'s PORT. BASS'S ALE, in Quarts and Pints. WM. YOUNGER & Co.'s Edinburgh STRONG ALE, in Hogsheads. W. H. NOTLEY. Hongkong, June 9, 1876.

TOR SALE .- Nos. 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 and 11 Mosque Street. Nos. 1 and 3 Mosque Junction." Crown Rent, \$7.28 a year. Monthly Rentals, \$110. Price for the lot, \$8,000 Nett. Taxes payable by tenants.

Apply to J. D. HUMPBREIS, Hongkong Dispensary. Hongkong, June 16, 1876.

DUC DE MONTEBELLO CARTE BLANCHE CHAMPAGNE. Quarte, \$15 per case (1 dozen.) Pints, \$16 5 per cent. discount on 25 cases.

Bourbon WHISKEY. \$12 per case (1 dozen.) FOR SALE BY HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, June 22, 1876.

FOR SALE. NUMBER of NEW IRON WATER A TANKS, 4 Feet square. Apply to

CAPTAIN on BOARD, American Bark "American Lloyds." Hongkong, May 30, 1876.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SINGAPORE AND LONDON. The Steamship-

"BENLEDI," Capiain Buchanan, will load as above and be despatched on TUESDAY, the 27th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents S. S. Bentedi. Hongkong, June 22, 1876.

FOR LONDON. The Steamship "FLAMINGO," Capt. COUCHE, expected from Shanghai on or about the 30th Instant, will receive immediate despatch as

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, June 22, 1876. NOTICE. : -

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Company's Steamship Captain REYNIER, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Acting, Agent. Hongkong, June 22, 1876.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. + PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Company's Steamship "DJEMNAH," Captain LECOINTRE, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Acting Agent: Hongkong, June 22, 1876.

STRAM TO YOKOHAMA The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S. "SUNDA" will leave for the above place shortly after the arrival of the Peshawur with the next English Mail. A. MoIVER. Superintendent.

Hongkong, June 22, 1876. STEAM TO SHANGHAI. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S. · PESHAWUR "。 will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arri-

val with the next English Mail. A MoIVER, Superintendent. Hougkong, June 22, 1876.

NOTICE. GOY, WATCH MAKER. No. 32, Queen's Road, Undertakes any orders in this branch. He is also prepared to go to private Hongs for

the winding up of Clocks. Hongkong, June 22, 1876. FOR SALE. YUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s

Celebrated Brands of WINES and SPIRITS. Apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, June 22, 1876.

NOTICE. To in diam'd, M in = 10 cases Beef. T. Oin diam'd, M 3 = 3) casks or cases Stout. Shipped by HAINES BATORELOE & Co. MONSIGNEES of the above named Cargo. arrived per KAISOW from London; are bereby informed, that unless delivery June 22. Swallow, for San Francisco. is taken before 10 a.m. TO-MORROW their goods will be landed and stored at their risk and expense by the Undersigned. MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, June 22, 1876

To-day's Advertisements.

CEALED TENDERS will be Received by the Undersigned on or before SATURDAY, the 24th Instant, at Noon, for the performance of the following Services, viz :-

FOR THE NAVAL HOSPITAL, MOUNT Building a Guard Room and Entrance

Building Chinese Servants' Latrine and Urinal, and Altering Servants' Quarters. Erecting Smoking Sheds.

NAVAL YARD. Sundry Repairs to Buildings.

Plans and Specifications can be been and particulars obtained at the Naval Storekeeper's Office. JOHN BREMNER,

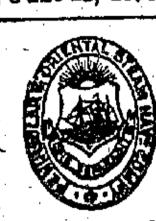
Naval Storekeeper. H. M. Naval Yard, Hongkong, June 17, 1876.

TENDERS for the Building, Alterations and Repairs to Naval Establishments, will be Received on or before THURSDAY, the 29th Instant, at Noon instead of SATURDAY, the 24th, as notified in my advertisement of the 17th Instant. JOHN BREMNER, Naval Storekeeper.

H. M. Naval Yard, Hongkong, June 22, 1876.

TEMBERS OF THE CIVIL SERVICE can obtain Copies of the CIVIL SERVICE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY'S Revised PRICE CATALOGUE on applying to the Undersigned.

C. VANDELEUR CREAGH, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, June 22, 1876.



STEAM FOR Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle. Aden, Suez, Malta, Brindisi. Ancona, Venice, Mediterranean Ports, Southampton and London;

Bombay, Madras, Calcutta and Australia.

THE PENINGULAR AND ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship THIBET, Captain Eastley, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places, on SATURDAY, the 1st July,

CARGO will be received on board until 5 P.M.; SPECIE and PARCELS at the)ffice until 2 P.M. on the 30th Instant. For particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co,'s Office, Hongkong.

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

ARE REQUIRED. A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any desention or prejudice which may happen from incorrect-

ness on such declaration. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's The English Contract Packet THIBET, Black Bills of Lading.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co. reserve the option of forwarding all Goods shipped by their Steamers for Europe through Egypt, either by Rail, or by Canal in their own Steamers, or in vessels employed for he purpose.

A. MoIVER, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co. 's Office. Hongkong, June 22, 1876.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Teither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:-

IPHIGENIA, German barque, Captain Matzen.-Wm. Pustau & Co. COMET, American ship, Captain William E. Bray.

VINDEX, British barque, Captain John Parkhouse. ZOROYA, British barque, Captain Geo. Scarlett.-Gilman & Co. WILLARD MUDGETT, American barque,

Captain J. B. Dickey .- Jardine, Matheson Evelyn, British barque, Capt. Knowles.

-Melchers & Co. Soffie, British barque, Captain Rees

FETIBUH, German barque, Captain J. Greiff.-Eduard Schellhass & Co. FONTENAYE, British ship, Capt. George B. Taylor. - Arnhold, Karberg & Co. NEARCHUS, American ship, Capt. Pierce.

-Eduard' Schellhass & Co. ANNA HAUSWEDELL, German barque, J. M. Schröder, -- Eduard Schellhass & Co. CINGALEE, British barque, Capt. David

GESTERA, Dutch schooper, Captain J. S. Mulder.—Eduard Schellhass & Co.

Althington, British barque, Captain G. Cunningham. -Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Johann Carl, German barque, Captain E. Gutsmuths. -- Wm. Pustau & Co. Montego, British barque, Capt. Griffiths. -Eduard Schellhass & Co.

ARRIVALS. June 22, Chinkiang, British steamer, 780, Hogg, Shanghai June 18, General. Sieks June 22, Peine, from Whampea.

DEPARTURES.

22, Stamese Crown, for Bangkok. 22. Lord Macaulay, for Iloilo. 22; Krongrindesssen, for Whampos. 22, Charles O. Leary for Whampes. 22, Esmeralda, for Manila,

22, Yangtine, for Shanghal,

CLEARED Fontenaye, for Touron. Memento, for Newchwang. Evelyn, for Manila. British Crown, for London.

PASSENCERS. ABRIVED

Per Chinkiang, from Shanghai, 30 Chi-DÉPARTED. Per Esmeralda, for Manila, Mesers Boll,

Heale, Oakey, Reyes, Cheong Woo, Dr. Poyet, 3 Seamen, and 130 Chinese. Per Yangisze, for Shanghai, Mr Wylie, and 35 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Chinkiang reports-Left Shanghai at 5 30 am. on the 18th inst. and arrived in port at 5,30 a.m. on the 22nd. Had N.E. winds and fine weather as far as Tungying, thence to port S.W. winds. Passed one of Holt's steamers off Tingchow, strs. Foochow and Amoy off Taichow Islands on the 19th, and atrs. Yesso and Cyphrenes off Turnabout on the 20th. Saw an English gun-boat at anchor under Ockseu and a P. & O. steamer bound North off same place. Passed German corvette Ariadne off the Brothers on the 21st.

POST OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS will close: For SINGAPORE. Per FYEN, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday,

the 24th Inst. For SINGAPORE & PENANG.-Per CARKISBROOKE, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 25th Inst.

For SAIGON .--Per PERNAMBUCO, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the 26th Inst. Per PARDO, at 11 30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 28th Inst.

For SINGAPORE & LONDON .-Per BENLEDI, at 8.80 p.m., on Tuesday, the 27th Inst.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .-The French Contract Packet ANADYR will be despatched on SATURDAY. the 24th Instant, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe, via Marseilles; to Salgon, Singapore, Batavia, Galle, Pondicherry, Madras, Calcutta, Bombay.

Aden, Suez, and Alexandria. The following will be the hours of closing the Malls, &c. :-

Friday, 28rd Inst .--5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes except the Night Box. which remains open all night. Saturday, 24th June.

A.M., Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all correspondence. 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases,

11 A.M. Post Office closes except for Late A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom, Saigon, or Singapore may be posted

on payment of a Late Fee of 18 cents extra postage, until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office Closes

entirely. ALFRED LISTER, Postmaster General. General Post Office.

je24 Hongkong, June 10, 1876 MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET.will be despatched with the Mails for Europe, &c., on SATURDAY

the 1st July. The following will be the hours of closing the Mails, &c. :--Friday, 30th Instant,-

5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. 6 P.M., Post Office closes except the NIGHT Box, which remains open all night.

Saturday, 1st July,-7 A.M., Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all correspondence. 10 A.M..-Post Office closes except for Late

Letters. Registry of Letters ceases. 10.15 A M., Letters may be posted on payment of a LATE FEE of 18 cents extra Postage until 11 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES

entirely. 11.30 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom Via Brindisi or to Singapore may be posted on board the Packet on payment of a Late Fee of 48 cents extra postage. 11.50 A.M., Posting on Board ceases.

ALFRED LISTER, Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, June 22, 1876.

General Memoranda.

this date subject to rent.

Saturday. June 24!-Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports of Oall and Europe. American Lloyds leaves for San Francisco. Goods per Esmeralda undelivered after

MONDAY, June 26:-Butterfield & Swire's Godowns. 2 p.m.—Sale of Household Furniture, No. 18, Staunton Street. 4 p.m. - Pernambuco leaves for Saigon.

Tursday, June 27:-Noon. - Sale of the Steamer Patitunet, at Mr W. Herfoot Hughes' Office 4 p m. -Beniedi leaves for Singapore and London.

WEDNESDAY, June 28:-2 p.m. Furniture Sale at No. 4, Graham

Thursday. June 29:--Noon -Government Tentiers for Construction close. FRIDAY, June 30:-

to the Union Ins. Soc. obtainable. Descallon leaves for London on or about this date.

SATURBAY, July 1:-Noon English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. 3 p.m.—Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.'s Steamer Be'gio leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco.

SATURDAY, July 15:-3 p.m. - American Mail leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Auctions.

Noon. -General Weekly Sale by Messrs Lane, Crawford & Co.

Shipping. Goods per Sarpedon undelivered after

this date subject to rent. Goods per Tartar undelivered after this date subject to rent.

TO ADVERTISERS.

The attention of Advertisers is respectfully drawn to the fact that a copy of the China Mail has for some time past been placed on board of every Steamer and Sailing Vessel on arrival in this Harbour. Facilities which have recently been placed within the reach of Captains and Officers of Ships have resulted in a material increase to the Subscription List of the Mail amongst the shipping in port; and as special arrangements have been made to increase the usefulness of the Shipping List and to extend the circulation in the Bay, these advantages will be at once apparent to Advertisers.

Orders may be sent to GEO. MURRAY BAIN. China Mail Office.

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Hongkong, June 1, 1876.

The publication of this issue commenced at 7.40 p.m.

BIRTH.

At Chinklang, on 13th inst., the Wife of J. G. W. GEARING, of a Daughter. DEATHS.

At Shanghai, on 14th instant, WILLIAM BROWNSELL DIX, Imperial Maritime Customs, age 42. At Shanghai, on 15th instant, HERBERT

At Shanghai, on the 16th instant, John EGLINTON, Engineer of the s.s. Yung Ching.

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, JUNE 22, 1876.

WE are, on the whole, glad to note, in the April number of the Friend of China, which has recently come to hand, that it is intended to issue that publication in future only as occasion may require, and not on fixed dates. The periodical has just completed a volume, and, we think of that association. with its conductor that it is scarcely advisable to continue month by month the issue of a magazine devoted entirely | According to some recent statements in to a subject of this kind. "The opium the Rangoon Gazette the project of a railquestion," he says, "is capable of being | way from Mandalay to the British fronstated in all its bearings once for all tier promises to be soon un fait accompli. within moderate limits, and this having | The enterprise is to be backed up by Itabeen accomplished, the periodical can lian capital instead of English, and it is have little novelty in it except informa- said that the contract between the proton about the progress of the agitation." moters and the King of Burmah has In the face of certain rather severe been already signed. The line is to be strictures that have of late appeared in completed within six and a half years one or two China papers with regard to from the present time, and is to be the Friend of China, we should, perhaps, | handed over to the Kingof Burmah when give the Editor the credit of having con- ever he is prepared to pay its cost-with ducted his periodical in what we believe a fair profit added, we presume. Until to be a conscientious manner, both as then the railway will be worked by the in possession of three metal paint cans, the regards the arguments he has employed promoters, 10 per cent, profit yearly property of H. M. Naval depot at Kowloon. in support of his side of the question, being guaranteed by His Majesty. The and the information he has afforded Gazette adds that Mr Tinelli, upon the opium trade generally. No chief promoter of the Company, is doubt that in conducting a periodical of to come out in September next, and this kind, published at regular intervals, bring a staff of engineers with him. and devoted to one side of a question | Considering that the King of Burmah is which has after all very narrow limits, a despotic monarch, enjoying but an inthere is a strong temptation to employ different reputation for the meeting of specious arguments, and not to exercise his pecuniary obligations, we must cona great amount of care in the selection | fess we should have considerable henitaof material for filling the pages, and it is tion in investing much money in this meinly for these considerations that we scheme, still we can join with our condo not feel inclined to hail with much temporary in wishing it success. satisfaction the establishment of organs | should think it would be an important Noon.—Sale of Persian Opium at Mesers of this nature; but we must repeat that step towards opening up Western China the conductor of the Friend of China to trade, as the line would form part of deserves the credit of having steered as a direct route to the province of wide of these faults as he was able, and the determination he has just arrived at not to continue to publish his periodical on fixed dates is, in itself, a proof that

this meed of praise is not undeserved. The number under notice of the periodical opens with an essay on the "Consequences to be expected from the Upium Trade as carried on between England, India and China," by Chin Kwok-chin of Amoy, the translation being made by Dr. Edkins. This is the essay that obtained the first of the three Warrants for Bonus tipon Contributions | extra prizes offered by Mr E. Peass. It seems that Mr Pease's advertisement inviting the competition of essays on the "British Opium Policy and its Results" having been inserted in the News of the Churches, a native publication at Shang hai, no less than twenty eight essays in the Ohinese language were received in response to it, Mr Chin's being among the rest. The Editor of the Friend of

of being the work of Christians.

adds: in China belong to the working rather than to the literary classes, and we are not surprised that the collection of Essays is not of remarkable literary merit: while the prevailing ignorance of the Chinese as to the affairs of foreign nations forbid us to expect from them an adequate appreciation of the political and economical gravity of the problom. The Essays are however of great value as indications of Chinese feeling, and he must be a rash man who can afford to make light of the very serious reports which Mr Chin gives of British unpopularity in China. All the Essays without exception condemn the use of opium. Some of their suggestions for a cure of the evil are very

The essay is not as very elaborated

production, and we should imagine that,

if it reached any notoriety, it would be

from the absence of arguments, which is rather a novelty in essays. Still, no doubt, the lucubration is very creditable to a Chinaman, especially one of Chia's class, who has little knowledge of things beyond his own immediate district. There is one sensible suggestion in the essay which is perhaps worth reproducing. "What I earnestly desire is," says Chin, "that the Government of India may put an end to the cultivation of the opium poppy and sow cotton or grain instead. Not only would the people of the State be saved by this means from want and misery, but the populations of other countries would also be saved from these evils." Cotton, we believe, grows very well in some parts of India, and if opium growing is ever given up, probably it would be a very good substitute for the drug. Further on in the periodical a second instalment of the article "Who is Responsible" is given. The writer finds a difficulty in fixing the responsibility of the opium trade in India on the Secretary of State and the local Government for India, because to call upon them to extinguish it, would be simply calling upon them to resign, and leave vacant, offices which would vainly go begging for occupants. These high officials, however, wield powers conferred upon them by Acts of Parliament, and when Parliament relieved the old East India Company of its authority it took upon itself the entire responsibility of the government of India. the matter of the opium monopol Parliament has, once and again, rejecting resolutions condemning assumed the full responsibility. Thus the responsibility of the opium monopoly is traced to the Houses of Parliament. Having arrived at this conclusion, the writer goes on to point out that the British people are responsible for Parlia-

ment, and that it is the apathy of the public mind, that sleep of the national conscience, which renders it possible for the rulers of the country to uphold a trade of this kind. He concludes then that the responsibility finally rests upon the public. This conclusion is one the fairness of which we will not dispute. We will readily admit that the British people are the responsible parties in the matter, and that if they saw fit to suppress the speedily would be; but the difficulty is that they do not recognise the advisability of such a step. The periodical also Secretary of the Anti-Opium Society by a number of Missionaries at Shanghai, identifying themselves with the objects

nan from British Burmah. The second secon

SPIRIT OF THE MORNING

PRESS. The Press says the Continued drought prevailing so widely in the North of China is beginning to arouse most serious alarm with regard to the Grops, a failure of which, It is anticipated by many, will render famine a certain result. Dismai reports dome from mearly every district, all telling of actual or impending distress, and there is great reason to fear that there will be a great deal of misery prevailing in the North of China through the general shorthess of the drops. This will add to the thickly gathering difficulties of the Chinese Government. It may perhaps be able in a messure to meet the emergency by a China, in a foot-acto, observes that most generous distribution of rice, but it is out of these essays give internal evidence of its power, it is to be fored, to do more

He | than alleviate the wide-spread auffering which a partial failure of the crops always "As a rule, the converts to Christianity entails upon the dense and poverty strick a population of the Central Kingdom. would be the soundest policy for the Chinese Government to promote mining operations on a large scale, in order that, if the crops failed, there might still be a source of production which would enable them to import as much grain as they required without difficulty. The Press also notices the tall outting excitem nt.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE new law regarding the load line o vessels came into force, we believe, in this Colony from the 1st instant. Several vessels here have already had the necessary marks painted on their sides.

We have been shown a forged note on the Hingkong & Shanghai Banking Company, for \$25, which is unquestionably the most perfect piece of work of the kind ve have ever seen in this part of the world. The wavy border, the water lines, the tracery around the "\$25" on the upper corners, and the coat of arms are all so well executed that we suspect photography has been called in to aid in the perfecting of the forger's dishonest design. The date is "35th December 1871," and there are one or two minor flaws in the details of the plate; but the general appearance of the note betokens so artistic and complete a counterfeit that few except Banking menwould think of examining it. The note is numbered 9857, and is signed by E. R. Smith, accountant, and V. Kresser, manager. In addition to the slight mistake in the date, the O's in the word "Hongkong" in the date are too slanting ; the rer in "Bearer" are not quite clear and in the imprint engraved is spelt "Engloed." The orange-coloured design on the back of the note appears to be without a fault; and altogether the thing is an exceedingly clever swindle. It will be well if mercantile men keep on the alert after these uncomfortable documents, as it is understood a considerable number of that denomination are in circulation. They are somewhat different, it must be remembered, to the notes of the Corporation, issued since the Company was

THE Band of the H. M. 28th, N. G. Regiment, will perform the following programme in the Public Gardens on Friday, the 23rd last, commencing at 5.80 p.m:-Quadrille, La Normandie, d'Albert. Selection,...L'Etoile du Nord,.. Meyerbeer Valse, The Messenger of Love, Coote Potpourri, { A Musical Tour through Europe, ...Conradi? "GOD SAVE THE QUEEN."

E. P. HUBBT, Conductor. contains a lengthy letter addressed to the RETURN of Visitors to the City Hall Library and Museum for the week ending June

Thursday, June 15th, Friday, Saturday. Sunday Sunday. 19th, 20th, Tuesday, 21st, Wednesday, 2 396 Totals, 920 Grand total, 3,316.

Police Intelligence. (Before James Russell, Esq.) June 22, 1876.

UNLAWFUL POBSESSION. Wong Achap, marine hawker, was found There was one iron cask marked H. M. S. Modeste, while the others bore also the Government mark. These cans had been offered for sale at public auction, but as the upset price was not realised, they were withdrawn. Fined £10, in default three month, hard labour.

UNLAWFUL POSSESSION. Ng Ayii, cook on board the barque Cath rine Marden, was brought up in conjunction with three boatwomen, for havingin their possession a quantity of rice stolen from the ship. The first defendant was cook on board and was on the articles He was seen to take some eight pounds of rice from the ship and leave in a boat off the bows. Pursuit was given and the rice found in the boat, although a quantity of it had been thrown overboard previous to the boat being overhauled. The defendant said he was allowed a pound of rice a day and by means of strict economy he sayed some 86 lbs. The first defendant was fined \$10, and the others were discharged, but their license was marked.

NUISANCE AND OSSTRUCTION. The Building contractor engaged in the repairs to the houses east of No. 4 Station was summoned for dressing stones on the road and causing obstruction on the footpath. The dause of complaint had, however, been removed since the summons.

. STRAY CATTLE. In Lin Sal. a milkman, was summoned for allowing his cattle to trespass on Milltary grounds. There were about half a down cows grading on the ground near Military tank, and at one point the stream, the water was bank. up to let the cown drink, Kined

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MAIT.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, 22nd JUNE, 1876.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloong shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.

5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.
8. From Pier to East Point.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.

2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works.

3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.

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and there has been every appearance of a

his hands and knees to the temple of this

We print some further correspondence

and packing their Silk finer, cleaner, and

printed circulars of the Public Silk Inspectors

ment, and we wish the desired end could be

the subject of sufficient interest to attend

rise to discussion and probably elicited from

amongst the many learned in the art of Silk

Inspecting, some more feasible plan for

inducing the natives to reel their Silk better.

It is quite evident the Chinese will never

improve on their present system so long as

people buy their Silk in the way they at

present bring it to market. The various

and on the Continent, have applied to the

some improvement cannot be made.

Shanghai Chamber of Commerce asking if

Skeggs has put before the Chamber of Com-

merce here a suggestion which if adopted

would produce the long-sought change, and

his views, as it is quite evident some good

A singular accident happened on the river

vesterday (June 14th). A tug-boat was

approaching the German barque Marie, now

ying below the shipping, for the purpose of

owing her up the river, when the man at

the wheel of the tug, wishing to slacken

speed to go astern, struck the bell. Just at

the moment a heavy squall struck the tug

and forced the wheel out of the man's hands.

It struck him on the head, knocking him

down, and thus prevented his striking the

bell a second time to complete the signal to

go astern. The consequence was that the

man at the engines, hearing only one bell,

went ahead and ran into the barque, but we

We recently mentioned that preparations

were being made at the Kiangnan Arsenal,

for casting the foundation plate of the new

7-ton steam hammer, at present being erect-

ed there. A new furnace, of novel construc-

tion, probably similar to those lately erected

at Woolwich, has, we understand, been

built at great expense, and a new system.

'never before seen in any country," adopt-

ed, to melt the 35 tons of iron required for

the casting. Under such favourable cir-

cumstances, a successful result was antici-

pated. On the morning of the 8th instant,

the furnace was charged, having been

previously heated; and 2 p.m. was the

expected time for tapping it. At that hour

however, the iron was found not to have

been wholly melted, and hour after hour was

spent, waiting until the furnace should com-

plets its work. At length orders were given

to tap; but instead of a rush of molten iron,

nothing came out; and although the aperture

used, and the attempt was not given up

until three o'clock next morning, when,

everybody being tired out, the workmen

went home to bed, and left the obstinate mass

to itself. Another attempt will, however

be made to melt it it is to be regretted, for

various reasons, that the present one proved

HANEOW.

riended, has not been known in this part of

the country for years. For months past

we have had very little rain, hardly sufficient

to enable the farmers to plant out their rice.

Such a drought as is now being expe-

a failure,

understand the damage done was not great.

we regret to see he is not better supported i

would come out of it.

howlings were in vain.

with attempting to murder Sergeant Charagh Deen, Orderly to Mr Creagh, Deputy Superintendent of Police, by shooting him with a Snider rifle on the 22nd inst. -- Sergeant Sham Sing stated that he had known the defendant for about six years as a Police Constable. He also knew Charagh Deon, a Sikh Sergeant acting as. orderly to Mr Superintendent Creagh since his arrival in the Colony. This morning about eight o'clock, the witness, Charagh Deen another Constable, No. 569, sitting in the back yard of the tolice Barracks near the back gate. Witness was grinding almonds &c. to make into a cooling drink. His two companions were sitting down talking to him. No. 569 was assisting him in grinding the almonds. Witness then saw the prisoner coming up the back-yard to where they were sitting. The prisoner came nearly behind No. and J. H. Roberts. when he lifted his rifle and it at Charagh Deen fired at him. Witness then jumped up, but before he did so the rifle went and hit Charagh Deen, (the bullet entering by the back and coming out by the shoulder blade). The prisoner did not lift the rifle up to his shoulder but held it below his He said nothing before he fired Witness then saw the prisoner turn round and take another cartridge from his pouch. He was going to reload his rifle, but witness went behind him and seized him round the body. He had then a cartridge in his hand. Mish Sing, a constable then came up and took his rifle away, as also-the cartridge. Witness did not observe whether the exploded cartridge was removed or not. The shot took effect on Charagh Deen and he fell backwards from where he was sitting. Charagh Deen then, called out "Baboo and the Jamadar have caused me to be shot,". The prisoner was present and heard this, but did not say anything. Some Constables then came to the witness' assistance and helped in taking the prisoner to the Charge Room. Some other Constables helped to remove the wounded man to the Hospital, Witness could not say whether Charagh Deen saw the prisoner approach the yard or not. Witness was not aware whether any ill-feeling existed between the prisoner and Charagh Sing or not. The prisoner was stationed at No. 3 Station, Wanchi, and witness could give no reason why he came up to the Central Station this morning. He was three or four yards from Charagh Deen when he fired.

Miah Singh, P.C. No. 640, stated that he heard a shot fired, and on turning round caw the prisoner with a rifle in his hand. The Sergeant called out "take away his rifle;" witness went up and took away his rifle, as also a loaded cartridge which he had in his hand. Witness handed both cartridge and rifle to Inspector Grey afterwards. The rifle had the breech block thrown open ready to remove the exploded cartridge and to insert a new one. The exploded cartridge was still in the block when witness seized the rifle. The prisoner said nothing when the rifle was Taken from him. Two other Constables, Maun Sing and Moolah Sing helped to take prisoner to the Charge Room. Charagh Deen was then removed to Hospital. Wit ness had no personal knowledge of the prisoner, and knew of no quarrel between him and Charagh Deen. Prisoner appeared to be under the influence of drink.

Chunda Sing, P. C. 569, was present in the yard at the time and gave only corroborative evidence.

Peter Jones, No. 19, was on Charge Room duty this morning when the prisoner was brought in. He searched the prisoner and found on his person three Spider Cartridges, and a small bottle containing a quantity of gin. There were other things found on his person, but they had no bearing in the case. The prisoner appeared to be under the influence of drink. He said (referring to the wounded man) "son more better he die. On the way to the cell, he said in English "I loaded my rifle at No. 3 Station, and looked out for Mr Creagh. If I had seen him I should have shot him. I did not see him, therefore I went to the back-yard and saw Charagh Deen and shot him. Sergeant Swanston came to the cell at the time, and the prisoner said to him, "I should have shot you if I had seen you." He held up his finger at the same time and abused Sergeant Swanston. He also said "Charagh Deen and Boota Sing had been trying to squeeze me." When the dying declaration of Charagh Deen was taken at the Hospital, witness escorted the prisoner there. On coming away, the prisoner said "son of a ----, more better die."

Sergeant Swanston was examined, and he corroborated the witness so far as regarded what the prisoner sai! while in the cell. Inspector Grey was examined. proved that Charagh Deen was badly wounded. When witness asked Maun Sing, a Police Constable, whether he saw the affair or not, and when the man replied "oh he (prisoner) turned to run away." the prisoner thereupon turned round and said "Why do you say so Why should I run away? I would shoot him." . Each Constable should always have five rounds of cartridges allowed him, but he must account for them. After the occurrence witness went to the yard and saw blood on the yard near the back gate. There was also a mark on the stone step as if the bullet had rebounded. Witness found two pieces of lead, the fragments of When the dying declaration was taken, the prisoner asked witness on the way to the Hospital, whether Charagh Deen was dead or not. Witness replied that he was not, but he would die. To this he said "Oh, more better he die." He knew of no quarrel between the prisoner and Charagh Deen. On the 3rd

cated by Captain Deane. Sergeant Dobie, store-sergeant, was examined to identify the cartridges found on the prisoner's person. They were regulation cartridges. The rifle, sword and pouch

June, Charagh Deen reported prisoner to

witness for being drunk, using abusive

language and threatening to shoot him.

Witness had him arrested and brought to

the Charge Room. The prisoner was then

under the influence of drink and was lock-

ed up. The matter was next day adjudi-

were Police property. Sergeant Baboo was examined. He proved that on the 6th June, Charagh Deen reported prisoner for using abusive language to him and threatening to shoot him. Capt. Deane fined him \$5 and reduced him to a third class Constable. He was a so told that. If he committed himself again in a similar manner, he would either dismiss him or send him to Gaol. Charagh Deen gave -eyidence in the case.

a precarious state.

SUPREME COURT. IN ORIMINAL SESSIONS. (Before Chief Justice Sir John SMALE.) June 22, 1876.

LARCENY.

Regina v. Che Acheung and three others. The prisoners were indicted for stealing a box containing a quantity of wearing apparel and \$10 from one Lee Akee, board the steamer Namoa on the 22nd May last. Another count charged them with receiving stolen goods.

The Hon. J. Bramston, Attorney General, prosecuted. The following Jury was sworn in : Messrs. T. W. Fowles, Sydney Hancock, Stewart Smith, H. Diokle, J. J. de Souza, A Levy

The Attorney General said there were two cases in which the informations had not been filed owing to his absence from the Colony. The first one was that of Mr Duncan, the other that of the engineers of the steamer Kinshan, charged with causing the death of a Chinese passenger. In the latter case the information was prepared and would have, no doubt, been filed by this time. He proposed therefore to have it taken on Monday next. As regards Duncan's case, he had also prepared the information and was ready to go on with it at any time convenient to the defendant's counsel. He would, however, let the Court know in course of time when

Juries were very desirable.

The Attorney General replied that there would be some difficulty in getting Special Juries, as most of the Special Jurors were | velled robes, and weeping, he crawled upon | by "that heathen Chines."-N. C. D. News. shareholders in the Dock Company.

His Lordship asked what interest such | divinity, and then ko-t'owed and bumped jurors had in a case of the Queen against | his head until it bled. He then burst out Mr Duncan. If there was, however, any into a long and lugubrious lamentation, objection on that score, surely a Jury who | which was taken up by all the people outside, were not shareholders could be mustered. who howled in concert till the noise was cular would almost describe the course It was very desirable that special Jurors | heard for miles around. Nor were their | of this market for Manchester goods during should be employed in these cases. so we are assured, the locusts changed their The Attorney General promised to let the

Court know to-morrow. His Lordship thought the Kinshan case involved a great deal of technical knowledge, and it seemed to him to be a very diffoult case, and required very great consideration. It was a very important case, and he thought therefore the best Jury-

men should be got. The Attorney General said he would communicate with the Court.

The regular case was then proceeded with. The complainant was a passenger between Mr Skeggs and the Chamber of Comfor Foochow by the Namoa on the 2nd | merce with reference to bringing about some May. He had a box stolen from him, and improvement in the purchase of Silk. His the prisoners were arrested by detective idea evidently is to see if the Chinese cannot Sergeant Lindsay for stealing. Some of be brought to see the necessity of reeling the prisoner's were proved to have pawned some of the clothings stolen from the more honestly. Judging from the various prosecutor, while others were found possession of other articles belonging to there would appear great room for improve-

After evidence was taken the prisoners brought about. It is a pity the members of the Chamber of Commerce did not consider were found guilty of larceny only, and sentence was reserved.

LARCENY.

Regina v. Tang Aping. The prisoner was indicted for stealing

one \$1 note from his employer. The prisoner was servant to Mr Wieler, a merchant, who was in the habit of having money in small sums lost from his house. These losses became so frequent that prosecutor had his suspicion aroused, Chambers of Commerce, both in England and took steps to detect the thief. kept his money in a cash box which he locked in his desk drawer, keeping both keys himself. He was in the habit, however, of leaving the keys on a table near his bed when he retired every night, and to this room the servants of the house had He frequently had money lost from the cash box, so one night he marked all the notes and counted the silver he had in the box before going to bed. Next morning when he got up, he discovered that one of the notes was missing. He made a report at once to the Station, when Sergeant Lindsay was sent down to make enquiries. On the person of the prisoner was found the identical note which was missed. It bore the same number which the prosecutor took down. The prisoner then said that he picked it off the desk and intended to return

it to his master. The Jury having returned a verdict of guilty, his Lordship, addressing the prisoner, said there was no doubt that he had been the thief all along and was at once. caught when Mr Wieler took the necessary steps. As we were compelled to place confidence in house servants, it was absolutely essential that honesty should be maintained, and the public were indebted to Mr Wieler for thus bringing up his servant as an example to others. Prisoner was then sentenced to two years' hard labour.

The St note (which His Lordship remarked had been well earned) was handed to Mr Wieler, who asked that it should be placed in the Poor Box.

LARCENY.

Regina v. Loung Akow and 'o Atai The prisoners were arraigned on two counts; one for stealing and the other for receiving, a box of tea, weighing 37 lbs. the property of the P. & O. Company.

It appeared that the first prisoner was the master of No. 4 lighter, and was employed to discharge a quantity of tea into a P. & O. steamer. It was not missed at the time but was afterwards found in the

Mr Handley, instructed by Mr Dennys, was widened, and a large bar of iron used as a appeared for the defence. He contended that there was no evidence to show that the tea was stolen, nor indeed was it proved that any was lost. Furthermore, there was no evidence to show that the tea found in the lighter belonged to the P. & O. Co. The prisoners were unanimously acquit-

The sessions were then adjourned till to-morrow at 10 a.m., when Mr Justice Snowden will take the remaining cases. Reserved sentences will be passed on Satur. day morning.

A Correspondent writes to us from Hwal- In some districts, indeed, the rice is not yet ngan Fu, in the north of Hiangsu, near the planted, and in others where it has already Yellow River, that all the wheat in that appeared above ground, the scorching heat neighbourhood is being harvested some five of the last few weeks has so withered and weeks before its usual time, on account of burned up the young crop that great fears. recent drought. Copious rains, he says; are being expressed as to the coming harvest. After the evidence of one or two more- have come just in time, and it is to be hoped. The Mandarine, as the reputed guardians. witnesses, the case was remanded till the that no material injury will have been done and parents of the people, have proclaimed 20 h inst. The wounded man is lying in to the crops. At present, at any rate, they a fast i no animal food has been sold in the appear to be in very good condition,

If one compares Shanghai of five years ago | State temples, continual prayers are being with that of to-day, one must be struck offered to the idols for a supply of rain.

with the change it has undergone in regard Of course the Mandarina probibition to the number of Chinese shops and houses. does not extend to those Cantonese who Then there existed very few of them nearer supply the foreign market with beef and to the Bund than Honan Boad, but now they mutton, and it is very well known that even are to be met with in all the streets parallel a Chinaman can be supplied with his pork to the river with the exception of the Bund; chop, as usual, if only he is careful not to and in the streets running from the river let any spy see him come out of the butthey are now encroaching as far as Szechuen | cher's back door. Road. There seems to be a perfect, rage for On Thursday some large drops of rain

pulling European built houses down, to fell, and ever since we have been expecting make room for these unsightly shanties. a thunder-storm, from the clouded appear-The time is not far off when we shall see ance of the sky. To-day the weather is them on the Bund itself, if things take no much cooler, and the thermometer from better turn. But-we-are-fain-to believe standing at 90 o is now down to 84 o in that Chinese also are not at present pros- [the shade. pering in trade as they have done since the

Should the rain hold off and the drought beginning of the decline of European com- continue much longer, it will entail great merce. For many of the newly erected suffering and loss upon the people, and we shops, mostly all foreign speculations, are shall have to fall back upon Kiang-nan for not being let nearly so rapidly as they would | rice to supply the year's deficiency.

have been had they been built a year ago. News comes from Honan, that almost We are afraid that building speculators will the whole of that province is in a state of be out of pocket, if a change for the better famine, through the failure of the crops. does not soon take place; but how this is to No rain has fallen since the eighth month be brought about is the burning question to of last year. The people in many places are rising, and marauding bands of hungry men are scouring the country in search of food Some time ago, as our readers no doubt and plunder. Numerous robberies and remember, we mentioned that the neighbour- murders are reported, and unless hood to the north of Yangchow was being paternal Government can devise some grievously desolated by locusts. This plague effective measures to meet the present has since gone on increasing so rapidly that emergency, we may hear of another rebelboth people and officials have suffered greatly, lion breaking out.

Our tea steamers have nearly all left the famine. At length when things were at port. Only two now remain on the berth. their worst the farmers and country-folk all and these will leave in a day or two. The went to the Salt Commissioner, and implored | Bund has re-umed its old dreamy vacancy. His Lordship observed that he had no his assistance; although how he could help quietness reigns again; the swallows have

CHINKIANG.

Messrs. Spencer and Wolff write on the 14th June:—A repetition of our last cirefforts useless; for from that day forward, the week now under review: there has been no abatement in the demand for diet, living on grass alone and not on rice. | medium to good 81 lbs. Grey Shirtings, The report of this miracle soon spread to which continued to command most of the other districts similarly afflicted, and the attention of our dealers, such makes, howceremony which had been so successful was ever, being very scare, other goods not repeated; but alas! the locusts there were usually enquired for at this season have recently sprung into life at a place called inexorable, or else the God of War was tired been dealt in freely. At the close, the Seaou-shan Hier, in Che-kiang. Its headof the game; all the rappings and the enquiry has somewhat slackened, but this quarters are at a ruined temple near a small is not surprising, considering the heavy market village, formerly dedicated to a supplies that have gone forward to the deity called the Wei-to Piu-sa; in iminterior during the past two or three weeks. | mediate proximity with which are a few ordinary makes have been at Tls. 2.35 ly clean, where some of the leaders of the Dragon, Tls. 1.80 a 1.81 per piece; Green of old women, aged respectively upwards of Lion, Tls. 1.75 per piece; Red Pheasants, eighty and fifty, who are mother and Horse and Jockey, and similar goods, Tls. daughter; these are the high priestesses, or 1.70 a 1.75 per piece; Pillar Chop, Tls. sibyls, and certain times become inspired by common qualities at Tls. 1.47 a 1.54 per | they hold frequent intercourse and whose piece. 7-Cloths-7 lbs. Mexicans have utterances, through the medium of the webeen asked for, but in their absence hardly men, are regarded as divine oracles. Passgeneral meeting when, if Mr Skeggs's ideas had not been adopted, it would have given

HANGCROW.

June 8th. The excitement regarding the cutting-off of the Chinese pig-tails which has prevailed in other cities, has reached this city also, encourages high living, and condemns vegeand the people are universally excited over | tarianism. Seated upon a high dais are the boy who attends a school under the care of | side of them; and the people worship them the Church Mission Society lost the lower | withincense and joss-sticks, as incarnations of end of his queue, he knows not when, the P'u-sa. Some of the ecstatics pretend where, or how. The medical missionary of to have visions of this deity, and all the that society examined it, and says it was oracles delivered by the priestesses are not eaten off by acid but is a clean cut as if | unswervingly obeyed. One of the peculiar by a pair of scissors. Other cases are also | regulations of the sect is the abjuring of all reported among the Chinese, but I do not silken clothes: nothing is worn but the know whether they are real or not.

light. Medium quality, new, Tls. 428 a

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them over the shoulder in front, and others | -Shanghai Courier.

hold the ends in their hands." They congratulate the priests because they have nothing to fear from the clippers; some say that they, the priests, will make great gains financially over the excitement N. D. C. News.

June 9th. begun to work in this city, as well as in land in a massacre of the Jews. Much persons are to be seen with the slip of lleving usurers, and they had the insolence yellow paper, having five mystic characters | to ask for payment. That was one standon it, braided in the queue. Placards are ling ground of offence, against which may posted and circulated, telling the people be set the economical objection to the that persons are, by use of the black art, Californian Chinamen. Along with this cutting off queues, but that they may escape impatience of exaction or of competition the mysterious shears by wearing the above | goes a probably ignorant hatred and suspi-

mentioned payer in the hair. ram to break the outer shell, all efforts were | Christian also saw a boy who had lost his substitute for this monarchical

furnace. Various other appliances were pal victime to itself wings and fly away. And occasion- special protection of the State. But it may ally, in passing the foreigner, a nervous be doubted whether the native or European had not gone off. The natives are much for that, end there is every appearance of excited, and say that in the reign of Tao- a difficult economical complication. If the Hwang a similar phenomenon was witness. matter is to decide itself through the rough would be found clipped.

> fears. The cases are daily increasing. -N. C. D. News.

A singular accident occurred recently streats for ten days, and everywhere, in the Curing the public bleatrical performances

loutside of the South-gate. As elsewhere these Hsi tare very frequent at this season of the year, and enterprising individuals erect stages on which for a small consideration, observers may sit and have a fair view of the actors. While the play was in progress some restless spirit, thinking it would be fine sport to see these favoured observers descend to the same level as the others, removed the support at one end of the platform. Benches, people, and all came down in promiscuous confusion, and one man who was beneath the mass had several ribs broken and his body torn open by a piece of the staging. He was still alive two days afterwards, but all regarded his recovery as impossible.

For several days we have had abundant showers, during one of which a man was killed by the god of thunder. People were not aware before that the man was much worse than others, but they know at last that he was too bad to live. It is quite remarkable that lightning does not destroy men in China. The destructive agency always thunder. The people who are killed by thunder are those who are not suspected of crime by their fellow-men but who are guilty of some secret villainy or of the intention to do wrong.

The retirement into private life of the Kiang-ning Che-hsien a few days since is said to be on account of a difference of opinion between him and the Governor-General on some financial questions .-Shanghai Courier.

CHINESE OUTRAGE AT HANKOW. power to order Special Juries, but so far as them, poor man, did not appear so clear. come and are skimming about just as the lin the House of Commons on the 4th he had seen of the cases, he thought Special The only thing he could think of was to try Chaa.szes are going; and after the first hard May, Mr Puleston asked the Under-Secreand exert his influence with the God of War | and hot pull of the season, we are resting | tary of State for Foreign Affairs whether to do battle against the locusts: so accord- on our cars, and devoutly praying we may his attention had been called to the report ingly, bareheaded and barefoot, with dishe- not be beaten again this year in the race. of an attack made by a Chinese mob near Hankow on the Rev. Griffith John, a Welsh m'ssionary; if so, whether he could state. the circumstances, and whether any action could be taken in the premisses. Mr Bourke: No communication upon

this subject has been received by the Foreign Office; but, in consequence of the question which has now been put by my hon, friend, a representation will be made to Her Majesty's Minister at Pekin.

A NEW CHINESE RELIGIOUS SECT.

A very extraordinary religious sect has Grey Shirtings 9.10/12 lbs. Dewhurst's houses, thatched with grass but scrupulousa 2.88 per piece; among the sales of 81 lbs. society reside. The movement is said to lately reported, are the following: -- Green | have had its rise in the ecstacies of a couple 1.66 per piece, and sundry parcels of very a particular P'u-sa or spirit, with whom any business could be done. Malwa ing by this neighbourhood during the day-Opium-Good to best new drug is readily | time, everything is quiet; there is nothing saleable at Tls. 433 a 436 per picul; best whatever to attract attention. At night, old, Tis. 488 a 440 per picul; stocks very however, the scene is said to be most remarkable. The place is crowded wit people, all come to consult the Pythoness. or to hear what it is all about-people of every description, men and women, rich and poor, bad and good. The interior of the temple is brightly lighted, and there is generally a deal of eating and drinking: for this sect, unlike most of the others. A veritable case has really occurred. A twoold women, with candles burning on either simplest cotton. The initiated are firmly A large charitable institution of the city | believed to be endowed with magical powers, is distributing "charms" gratis, and almost | and to be able to drive men mad with inevery boy and some of the men have little cantations and the administration of curious bits of yellow paper with some mystic | poisons. The number of adherents is rapidly characters written on them tied in the ends | increasing, and though the sect has only of their pig-tails. Most of the men have been in existence a few weeks, it counts them coiled around their heads, others have | already upwards of seven hundred members.

THE CHINESE IN CALIFORNIA. The Daily News says :- It is very easy to imagine currents of hatred against the race of Celestials meeting and swelling into the passion which seems to have been exhibited at Antioch. We know from old The epidemic among queues has fully chronicles the circumstances which used to cities between here and Ningpo. Many | money was owed, perhaps, to these unbecion of the strangers. This feeling is If any one suffers, he may, by recutting wrought up into passion by some exaggerated the remaining hair and putting the part | rumour of revolting malpractices. Then clipped in some specified place, avoid death, follows cruel outrage. The old English which is said to follow in seven, twenty, or remedy for this state of things in regard to April 8, James Shepherd, from Cardiff to thirty days. And an official in Siao-san, the Hebrews was characteristic. They acr ss the Tsien t'ang River, has issued a were declared to be the King's own chattels, proclamation in effect the same as the and to injure them was to draw down the place d mentioned. Numerous cases are | King's vengeance. The monarch of course reported, but there are a few anthenticated | recouped himself by squeezing money out ones. A boy from one of the Mission of his Jews, till the time when Edward I. Schools lost part of his queue, but knew | was intolerant and short-sighted enough. nothing of it till he reached home. A native to banish his bankers. The American in vain, the mass still refusing to leave the that day. Children seem to be the princi- seems to be found in the scheme of taxing every Chinaman who lands on Mon may be seen on the street, with the coasts of freedom. The tax would their queue inside their doats, or holding raise a certain sum, no doubt, and would, on to the end of it as if afraid it would take in a way, put the Oriental under the touch is given the queue as if to be sure it whites will like the Asiatic any the better ed, only the tinknown sprite then operated agency of strikes, one can hardly doubt on the feathered tribs. A chicken would that the Chinese will hold their own. They be heard to squall, and on rinning out no have managed to introduce quite a new one would be seen, bu the chicken's wings factor into political economy, by voluntarily, and of their free will, supplying labour The natural superstitious mind of this nearly as cheap as slave labour, people, lostead of seeking a flesh and blood and far more skilled. If it were possible cause for this singular phenomenou, attri- to put into execution the economical butes it to spirits, which increases their theories of Mr. Ruskin and of Afistotle, we might welcome the Chinese to do the dirty work of civilisation, the work unworthy of and degrading to the best races. Unluckily the members of the best races have to earn their bread, and their bread is taken out of their mouths by the economical Celestial Considering the uncounted

hosts of adventurous. Chinamen. whom Michelet is said to have expected to inherit the earth, the problem really becomes a stupendous one. Must all working populations be ousted by the Chinese, or else sink to the Chinese level of life?--The Chinaman can live in any climate, the presenceof a stronger race does not tend to extinguish his, and in short he is a more awkward customer than the "irrepressible negro," because he has far more natural intelligence, energy, and aptitude for a sort of civilisation. The larger results of the problem may be long deferred, but even to-day it is a curious and fascinating ques tion that is raised by the Chinese emigration. An irruption of mild barbarians threatens America. Can the invasion only be met by measures of exclusion borrowed from the policy of the enemy?

A." GIBL of the period" comments thus on Mormonism :- 'How absurd -four or five wives for one man; when the fact is, each woman in these times ought to have four or five husbands. It would take about that number to support her decently.'

Quotations.

Hongkone, June 22, 1876. OPIUM.—New Patna, cash... 585 oredit, 587 Old Patna, cash.... 625 credit, 627 New Benares, cash, 5671 credit, 570 Old Benares, cash, 585 credit, 587 New Malwa, cash, 555 oredit, 560 Allowance Taels, -Old Malwa, cash, credit, -Allowance Taels, CAMPHOR, 15 QUICKSILVER, ...

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Temperature.

Hongkong, June 22, 1876. (Taken at Mesers. Falconer & Oo.'s Premises. Queen's Koad.) THERMOMETER-9 A.M., 4 P.M., Maximum, . . "Do. Minim, over night.

29,900

Shipping Intelligence. HOME SHIPPING.

4 P.M.,

BAROMETER, -9 A.M.

The following is taken from the latest London Papers :-DEPARTURES.

Jan. 13, Antipodes, from Cardiff to Hong Feb. 6, Scotia, from London to Hongkong? March 2, Mary L. Stone, from Cardiff to Hongkong.

March 16, Min, from London to Hongkong. March 18, Benefactor, from New York to Hongkong. March 20, Gustay and Marie, from Ham-

burg to Hongkong. March 21, Moss Glen, from London to Hongkong. March 21, Hoogley, from Boston to Batavia and Hongkong. March 23, Cilurnum, from Cardiff to Hong-

March-23,-J. C. Munto, from London to Hongkong. March 29, Oregon, from Cardiff to Honge

April 7, Corea, from Liverpool to Hong-

Hongkong. April 11, Melbrek, from London to Houge

April 13, Importer, from Cardiff to Hong-April 13, Alice Buck, from Cardiff to

April 24, Golden Spur, from Cardiff to Hongkong. May 3, Lucia, from London to Hongkonz.

May 3, St. Anne, from Cardiff to Chefoo. May 4, Joseph Haydon, from Cardiff to Hongkong. May II, Priam (str.), from Liverpool to

Shanghai.

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Stentor (str.) Menelans (str.) Mary France,

-HONGKONG MARKET PRICES Mushroom, dried, catty Intimations. insurances. Mails. Insurances. Corrected to Saturday, June 17, 1876. Maize (green corn) ear COSMOPOLITAN DOCKS. At 1080 Oash per Dollar Mexican. 50 Okroes THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN INSUR-QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES Onions, Bombay ANCE, COMPANY, ADELAIDE. MARITIMES. Highest, Lowest COMPANY. FITHE DOCKS being now completed, are PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. Butcher Meat. capable of Docking any size Vessels FIGHE Undersigned are prepared to grant STEAM FOR frequenting this Port, and executing any Policies against Fire to the extent of Bacon, English, . . . lb. SAIGON. SINGAPORE, BATAVIA. \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored THE Undersigned having been appointed Purslane. REPAIRS required. 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No. 6 is situated on the Bund, and comof Lading are issued for transportation to Hongkong, March 24, 1876. ie24 Frogs, prises an Eight-roomed Dwelling House, Tamarinda, Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San THE LONDON ASSURANCE. detached, with Garden all round, Offices, Walnuts, Francisco, to ports in Mexico, Central and Note. - By the Company's Articles of Asso-Godowns, Servants' Quarters, and Out-South America, and to New York and INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER Water Chesnuts. ciation it is provided that, after pay- Gudgeon, houses. Area 1,064 Taubos of 36 square Europe VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS. ment to the shareholders of a dividend Herrings, small Water Melons. A Steamer of the Mitsu Bishi S. S. 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